

# **Vitamin B12 Deficiency Committee meeting**

**Date:** 16/01/2023

**Location:** Via zoom

**Minutes:** Final

| Committee members present:    |                           |
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| Imran Jawaid (Chair)          | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Ian Beales                    | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Medina Brown                  | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Cassandra Edgar               | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Mamta Garg                    | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Dominic Harrington            | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Linda Haste (co-opted member) | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Louella Oakey                 | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Mark Pritchard                | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Emile Richman                 | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Willemina Rietsema            | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Maddie Smith                  | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Emma Stevenson                | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |

| In attendance:  |                                       |                           |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Bethan Dorsett  | Senior Medical Editor                 | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Stephen Deed    | Information Specialist                | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Aamer Jawed     | Health Economist                      | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Toby Sands      | Research Fellow                       | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Carlos Sharpin  | Guideline Lead                        | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Maria Smyth     | Senior Research Fellow                | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Nick Staples    | Guideline<br>Commissioning<br>Manager | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |
| Katie Tuddenham | Project Manager                       | (Present for notes 1 – 5) |

| Apologies: |  |  |  |
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| Rakesh Koria     | Guideline Committee      |
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| Harnish Patel    | Guideline Committee      |
| David Wonderling | Head of Health Economics |

## 1. Welcome and objectives for the meeting

The Chair welcomed the Committee members and attendees to the tenth meeting on vitamin B12 deficiency. The Committee members and attendees introduced themselves

No members of the public asked to observe the meeting.

The Chair informed the Committee that apologies had been received. These are noted above.

The Chair outlined the objectives of the meeting.

#### 2. Confirmation of matter under discussion, and declarations of interest

The Chair confirmed that, for the purpose of managing conflicts of interest, the matters under discussion were information and support, and diagnosis.

The Chair asked everyone to verbally declare any interests that have arisen since the last meeting.

| Name | Job title,<br>organisation | Declarations of Interest, date declared | Type of interest | Decision<br>taken |
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| -    | -                          | No new declarations received.           | -                | -                 |

### 3. Evidence review: Information and support

Toby Sands, Research Fellow, presented the evidence for the review of information and support. The committee drafted recommendations.

# 4. Final health economic results, including revisiting diagnosis recommendations

Aamer Jawed, Health Economist, presented the final health economic results. Carlos Sharpin, Guideline Lead, led a discussion on revisiting the recommendations drafted for diagnosis.

#### 5. Any other business

There being no other business, the Chair thanked everyone for their participation

and closed the meeting.

Date of next meeting: 17/01/2023

Location of next meeting: Via Zoom